

To the Independent Electors of Westminster.

THE Friends of Freedom must see with Pride the Triumph of Yesterday. The Majority in Favor of MR. FOX upon the Close of the Poll is not more flattering to that Gentleman, than honorable to the Electors themselves. Because whilst they support him, they vindicate the Character of their own Understanding, for they shew themselves superior to all the pitiful Misrepresentations and odious Aspersions of that powerful Confederacy which has been formed for HIS Downfall, and for the Destruction at the same time of the BRITISH CONSTITUTION.

Never had a brave and generous People an abler or firmer Champion than this Great Man. Never had Man the Hearts and Affections of those whose Cause he asserted more sincerely than he. The public Protection has increased in proportion to the Increase of his Persecutions, and the Treachery of his political Enemies produced no other Effect upon the People, than strengthening their Confidence in their OLD FAVORITE.

No foul Act which Malice can invent, or which Baseness can perpetrate, that they have left untried. The Nation has been nauseated with the Grossness of their numberless Calumnies; nor can the uniform Contempt of the Public to the Succession of daily Libels, restrain their indefatigable Efforts to traduce and blacken him. Even at this Moment they are propagating a new Accusation, which deserves Notice only to be despised. To set the Electors on their Guard against the Poison of *such* Insinuations is perfectly unnecessary. Their good Sense and tried Discernment are a complete Security that this fresh Scandal will be as fruitless as the Mass of mean Scurrilities which these wretched Tools of a pernicious *Court Faction* have published already.

Mr. FOX's Reception from the Electors Yesterday was indeed a Victory. It was that solid, warm, and cordial Attachment which flows from the generous Soul of an honest Englishman to the Man he values.

It was a Tribute which neither Power can command nor Corruption call forth.

Proceed as you have begun, and a few Days will end this Contest, in such a Way as must convince the Enemies of our common Freedom, that in expecting any Sanction from the City of *Westminster*, they under-rated *your* Judgments, and were as much deluded as they have grossly imposed upon the Nation themselves for the last Three Months.



A TRUE BRITON.